



New start in January! We are starting a **Couch to5K** programme with Fran and Jon as run leaders, with Warrington Road runners. Sign up at [www.runtogether.co.uk](http://www.runtogether.co.uk) and search for *Warrington RR – Beginners* to book on to the sessions, which start on Tues 8th Jan @6:30pm. All abilities welcome, there is no such thing as too unfit, or too slow to run!!



Friday 25th Jan 7-10pm sees the return of our fabulous charity **Quiz night** at Grappenhall Ex-Serviceman’s Club (Chester Rd, Grappenhall, WA4 2QG) in aid of Papyrus and New Song Network. Tickets are for sale, Adults £8 and Children £5 including a 2-course meal (numbers & if veggie/gluten-free needed for catering). Bar opens at 7pm, with the quiz starting @7:30pm.



Our **Prayer chain** gives support to members of New Song and beyond, and can be a lifeline. We need some help to run this. Firstly, temporarily between mid-Jan and March, but if that person thinks they would like to continue to help we will be very grateful. If you think you can help, please speak to Jayne Adamson or Kit Heald. If you’d like to join the chain, contact the email address below.



**THANK YOU!** A massive thank you to everyone who helped at our various events over Christmas: the people that walked to the market handing out mince pies; the people that put up and decorated our prayer tree in the market, and watched and prayed for the stars put on it; the Carol Singers in the market; the people that helped out at Hot Drinks Ministry; Emma and family who gave us a special Hot Breakfast at our Christmas NSB; also the people who donated to our various collections, as we had a record number of advent calendars as well as boots, and hampers for Trinity Kings Cross.

**‘Splish, Splash, I was taking a bath!’**

January 2018



**New Song at a Glance….**

*New Song Kids: 1st Sunday, 3:30pm at Bold St Church Hall (6th Dec)*

*No Feast your Faith this month it returns 1st Wednesday February, 6:30/7:30pm at the Manse*

*New Song Deeper: Afternoon: 2nd (7th Jan) and 4th (21st Jan) Monday, 1:30pm at Latchford*

*New Song Deeper: Evening: 2nd Thursday evening, 8pm at Jayne’s house (10th Jan)*

*New Song Breakfast: 3rd Sunday morning, 9am at* ***Bold St*** *(20th Jan)*

*New Song Café: 4th Sunday evening, 7pm at Bold (27th Jan)*

*Fridays are Rev. Linda Bishop’s day off; please don’t contact her on that day.*

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**New Song Network Warrington**





Have you got a New Song **Bamboo** travel mug yet? We are selling them for £5, with £1 per cup going to New Song. This helped us to give out some cups at our Christmas Hot Drinks Ministry. Available at NSB and NSC or speak to Jayne Adamson.



Our new **themes** for the year, which will be used at each of the New Song events, including New Song Deeper, are based on the Sacraments of the Methodist Church. You can see the title of this month’s theme at the top of the Newsletter, which will now be available from the beginning of the month. Coming up we have:

Feb: It takes two, baby!

Mar: Lay me down, in a blaze of Glory!

Apr: Gotta have faith!

May: I did it my way!

June: It’s all about you!

July: All you need is love!



Buying a new Bible for yourself or someone else? Want some help with understanding the Bible or want to start journaling? Do you need some dyslexia-friendly resources? There are a number of new Youth bibles to help young people get into reading the bible. These and many more books and related items can be bought from the Bible Society. NSN is part of their More Than A Book programme so when you order quote church number 12211 (or select NSN from the drop-down menu) as you go through checkout and NSN will benefit.  
<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/products/>





Future **Hot Drinks Ministry.** Massive thanks to everyone who braved the elements to help serve hot drinks at Walton Crematorium and Fox Covert Cemetery in Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.  We are already planning for Mothering Sunday.  If you could lend a hand to help for an hour or two on Sun 31st March, please make sure Alice has your contact details and availability.



Our next **Leadership** **meeting** is on 13th February at 7:30pm at Bold St. All are welcome, especially as we discuss how New Song moves on and most importantly grows!



**New Song Breakfast** is moving! As part of our growth plan, we are moving New Song Breakfast to Bold St! The rainbow lighting will be there with our café style worship, new songs and activities. Coffee and a continental breakfast to start with. What a better start to a weekend, coffee, breakfast and activities before nipping in to town to shop? (or not!???)



**Selfie?** We now have a NS-Warrington Selfie frame! We’d love you to take a selfie with it and post it on social media. How many selfies can we get?



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